

THE ORDER FOR  
MORNING PRAYER  
On Wednesday  
in the Week of  
the Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Come, Holy Ghost, fill the hearts of thy faithful people,  
And kindle in them the fire of thy love.

**PREPARING IN PENITENCE.**

Thus saith the high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity, whose name is Holy; I dwell in the high and holy place, with him also that is of a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones. *Isaiah* lvii. 15.

*Minister.* Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

**A General Confession (*said by all*).**

**A**LMIGHTY and most merciful Father; We have erred, and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; And we have done those things which we ought not to have done; And there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare thou those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore thou those who are penitent; According to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake; That we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, To the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

**[In place of the Absolution - Collect for Trinity 24]**

O LORD, we beseech thee, absolve thy people from their offences; that through thy bountiful goodness we may all be delivered from the bands of those sins, which by our frailty we have committed. Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Saviour. *Amen.*

**The Lord's Prayer**

**O**UR Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Opening Versicles & Responses (*alternating*)**

O Lord, open thou our lips.

*Answer.* And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

*Answer.* As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.

*Answer.* The Lord's Name be praised.

**PRAISE OF GOD'S GLORY.**

**Psalm 95.** *Venite, exultemus.*

**O** COME, let us sing unto the LORD;

\* let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.

2 Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving;

\* and show ourselves glad in him with psalms.

3 For the LORD is a great God;  
\* and a great King above all gods.

4 In his hand are all the corners of the earth;  
\* and the strength of the hills is his also.

5 The sea is his, and he made it;  
\* and his hands prepared the dry land.

6 O come, let us worship and fall down,  
\* and kneel before the LORD our Maker.

7 For he is the Lord our God;  
\* and we are the people of his pasture,  
and the sheep of his hand.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts  
\* as in the provocation,  
and as in the day of temptation in the wilderness;

9 When your fathers tempted me,  
\* proved me, and saw my works.

10 Forty years long was I grieved with this generation, and said,  
\* It is a people that do err in their hearts,  
for they have not known my ways:

11 Unto whom I swear in my wrath,  
\* that they should not enter into my rest.

**G**LORY be to the Father, and to the Son, \* and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, \* world without  
end. Amen.

*Here follow the psalms for the 8<sup>th</sup> day of the Month at Morning Prayer*

**Psalm 38.** *Domine, ne in furore*

**P**UT me not to rebuke, O LORD, in thine anger;  
\* neither chasten me in thy heavy displeasure:

2 For thine arrows stick fast in me,  
\* and thy hand presseth me sore.

3 There is no health in my flesh, because of thy displeasure;  
\* neither is there any rest in my bones, by reason of my sin.

4 For my wickednesses are gone over my head,  
\* and are like a sore burden, too heavy for me to bear.

5 My wounds stink, and are corrupt,  
\* through my foolishness.

6 I am brought into so great trouble and misery,  
\* that I go mourning all the day long.

7 For my loins are filled with a sore disease,  
\* and there is no whole part in my body.

8 I am feeble and sore smitten;  
\* I have roared for the very disquietness of my heart.

9 Lord, thou knowest all my desire;  
\* and my groaning is not hid from thee.

10 My heart panteth, my strength hath failed me,  
\* and the light of mine eyes is gone from me.

11 My lovers and my neighbours did stand looking upon my trouble, \*  
and my kinsmen stood afar off.

12 They also that sought after my life laid snares for me;  
\* and they that went about to do me evil talked of wickedness,  
and imagined deceit all the day long.

13 As for me, I was like a deaf man, and heard not;  
\* and as one that is dumb, who doth not open his mouth.

14 I became even as a man that heareth not,  
\* and in whose mouth are no reproofs.

15 For in thee, O LORD, have I put my trust;  
\* thou shalt answer for me, O Lord my God.

16 I have required that they, even mine enemies,  
should not triumph over me;  
\* for when my foot slipt, they rejoiced greatly against me.

17 And I truly am set in the plague,  
\* and my heaviness is ever in my sight.

18 For I will confess my wickedness,  
\* and be sorry for my sin.

19 But mine enemies live, and are mighty;  
\* and they that hate me wrongfully are many in number.

20 They also that reward evil for good are against me;  
\* because I follow the thing that good is.

21 Forsake me not, O LORD my God;  
\* be not thou far from me.

22 Haste thee to help me,  
\* O Lord God of my salvation.

**G**LORY be to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, \*  
world without end. Amen.

**Psalm 39.** *Dixi, Custodiam.*

**I** SAID, I will take heed to my ways,  
\* that I offend not in my tongue.

2 I will keep my mouth as it were with a bridle,  
\* while the ungodly is in my sight.

3 I held my tongue, and spake nothing:  
\* I kept silence, yea, even from good words;  
but it was pain and grief to me.

4 My heart was hot within me:  
and while I was thus musing the fire kindled,  
\* and at the last I spake with my tongue:

5 LORD, let me know mine end, and the number of my days;  
\* that I may be certified how long I have to live.

6 Behold, thou hast made my days as it were a span long,  
and mine age is even as nothing in respect of thee;  
\* and verily every man living is altogether vanity.

7 For man walketh in a vain shadow, and disquieteth himself in vain;  
\* he heapeth up riches, and cannot tell who shall gather them.

8 And now, Lord, what is my hope?  
\* truly my hope is even in thee.

9 Deliver me from all mine offences;  
\* and make me not a rebuke unto the foolish.

10 I became dumb, and opened not my mouth;  
\* for it was thy doing.

11 Take thy plague away from me:  
\* I am even consumed by the means of thy heavy hand.

12 When thou with rebukes dost chasten man for sin,  
thou makest his beauty to consume away,  
like as it were a moth fretting a garment:  
\* every man therefore is but vanity.

13 Hear my prayer, O LORD, and with thine ears consider my calling;  
\* hold not thy peace at my tears;

14 For I am a stranger with thee, and a sojourner,  
\* as all my fathers were.

15 O spare me a little, that I may recover my strength,  
\* before I go hence, and be no more seen.

**G**LORY be to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, \*  
world without end. Amen.

**Psalm 40.** *Expectans expectavi.*

**I**WAITED patiently for the LORD,  
\* and he inclined unto me, and heard my calling.

2 He brought me also out of the horrible pit, out of the mire and clay,  
\* and set my feet upon the rock, and ordered my goings.

3 And he hath put a new song in my mouth,  
\* even a thanksgiving unto our God.

4 Many shall see it, and fear,  
\* and shall put their trust in the LORD.

5 Blessed is the man that hath set his hope in the LORD,  
\* and turned not unto the proud,  
and to such as go about with lies.

- 6 O LORD my God, great are the wondrous works  
which thou hast done,  
like as be also thy thoughts, which are to usward;  
\* and yet there is no man that ordereth them unto thee.
- 7 If I should declare them, and speak of them,  
\* they should be more than I am able to express.
- 8 Sacrifice and offering thou wouldest not,  
\* but mine ears hast thou opened.
- 9 Burnt-offering and sacrifice for sin hast thou not required:  
\* then said I, Lo, I come;
- 10 In the volume of the book it is written of me,  
that I should fulfil thy will, O my God:  
\* I am content to do it; yea, thy law is within my heart.
- 11 I have declared thy righteousness in the great congregation:  
\* lo, I will not refrain my lips, O LORD, and that thou knowest.
- 12 I have not hid thy righteousness within my heart;  
\* my talk hath been of thy truth, and of thy salvation.
- 13 I have not kept back thy loving mercy and truth  
\* from the great congregation.
- 14 Withdraw not thou thy mercy from me, O LORD;  
\* let thy loving-kindness and thy truth always preserve me.
- 15 For innumerable troubles are come about me;  
my sins have taken such hold upon me,  
that I am not able to look up;  
\* yea, they are more in number than the hairs of my head,  
and my heart hath failed me.
- 16 O LORD, let it be thy pleasure to deliver me;  
\* make haste, O LORD, to help me.

17 Let them be ashamed, and confounded together,  
that seek after my soul to destroy it;  
\* let them be driven backward, and put to rebuke,  
that wish me evil.

18 Let them be desolate, and rewarded with shame,  
\* that say unto me, Fie upon thee! fie upon thee!

19 Let all those that seek thee, be joyful and glad in thee;  
\* and let such as love thy salvation, say always,  
The LORD be praised.

20 As for me, I am poor and needy;  
\* but the Lord careth for me.

21 Thou art my helper and redeemer;  
\* make no long tarrying, O my God.

**G**LORY be to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, \*  
world without end. Amen.

**The First Lesson:** 1 Kings 1:32- end

*Reader:* Here beginneth the 32<sup>nd</sup> verse of the 1<sup>st</sup> chapter of the 1<sup>st</sup> book of the Kings. Solomon is made king, and shows mercy to Adonijah who had sought to make himself king.

In those days: king David said, Call me Zadok the priest, and Nathan the prophet, and Benaiah the son of Jehoiada. And they came before the king. <sup>33</sup> The king also said unto them, Take with you the servants of your lord, and cause Solomon my son to ride upon mine own mule, and bring him down to Gihon: <sup>34</sup> And let Zadok the priest and Nathan the prophet anoint him there king over Israel: and blow ye with the trumpet, and say, God save king Solomon. <sup>35</sup> Then ye shall come up after him, that he may come and sit upon my throne; for he shall be king in my stead: and I have appointed him to be ruler over Israel and

over Judah. <sup>36</sup> And Benaiah the son of Jehoiada answered the king, and said, Amen: the LORD God of my lord the king say so too. <sup>37</sup> As the LORD hath been with my lord the king, even so be he with Solomon, and make his throne greater than the throne of my lord king David. <sup>38</sup> So Zadok the priest, and Nathan the prophet, and Benaiah the son of Jehoiada, and the Cherethites, and the Pelethites, went down, and caused Solomon to ride upon king David's mule, and brought him to Gihon. <sup>39</sup> And Zadok the priest took an horn of oil out of the tabernacle, and anointed Solomon. And they blew the trumpet; and all the people said, God save king Solomon. <sup>40</sup> And all the people came up after him, and the people piped with pipes, and rejoiced with great joy, so that the earth rent with the sound of them.

<sup>41</sup> And Adonijah and all the guests that were with him heard it as they had made an end of eating. And when Joab heard the sound of the trumpet, he said, Wherefore is this noise of the city being in an uproar?

<sup>42</sup> And while he yet spake, behold, Jonathan the son of Abiathar the priest came; and Adonijah said unto him, Come in; for thou art a valiant man, and bringest good tidings. <sup>43</sup> And Jonathan answered and said to Adonijah, Verily our lord king David hath made Solomon king.

<sup>44</sup> And the king hath sent with him Zadok the priest, and Nathan the prophet, and Benaiah the son of Jehoiada, and the Cherethites, and the Pelethites, and they have caused him to ride upon the king's mule:

<sup>45</sup> And Zadok the priest and Nathan the prophet have anointed him king in Gihon: and they are come up from thence rejoicing, so that the city rang again. This is the noise that ye have heard. <sup>46</sup> And also Solomon sitteth on the throne of the kingdom. <sup>47</sup> And moreover the king's servants came to bless our lord king David, saying, God make the name of Solomon better than thy name, and make his throne greater than thy throne. And the king bowed himself upon the bed. <sup>48</sup> And also thus said the king, Blessed be the LORD God of Israel, which hath given one to sit on my throne this day, mine eyes even seeing it. <sup>49</sup> And all the guests that were with Adonijah were afraid, and rose up, and went every man his way.

<sup>50</sup> And Adonijah feared because of Solomon, and arose, and went, and caught hold on the horns of the altar. <sup>51</sup> And it was told Solomon, saying, Behold, Adonijah feareth king Solomon: for, lo, he hath caught

hold on the horns of the altar, saying, Let king Solomon swear unto me today that he will not slay his servant with the sword. <sup>52</sup> And Solomon said, If he will shew himself a worthy man, there shall not an hair of him fall to the earth: but if wickedness shall be found in him, he shall die. <sup>53</sup> So king Solomon sent, and they brought him down from the altar. And he came and bowed himself to king Solomon: and Solomon said unto him, Go to thine house.

**Canticle:** *Te Deum laudamus.*

*The praise of the Creator by the whole creation, and by the Church.*

**W**E praise thee, O God; we acknowledge thee to be the Lord.  
All the earth doth worship thee, the Father everlasting.  
To thee all Angels cry aloud; the Heavens, and all the Powers therein;  
To thee Cherubim and Seraphim continually do cry,  
Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth;  
Heaven and earth are full of the Majesty of thy glory.  
The glorious company of the Apostles praise thee.  
The goodly fellowship of the Prophets praise thee.  
The noble army of Martyrs praise thee.  
The holy Church throughout all the world doth acknowledge thee;  
The Father of an infinite Majesty;  
Thine adorable, true and only Son;  
Also the Holy Ghost the Comforter.

**T**HOU art the King of Glory, O Christ.  
Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father.  
When thou tookest upon thee to deliver man,  
    thou didst humble thyself to be born of a Virgin.  
When thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death,  
    thou didst open the Kingdom of Heaven to all believers.  
Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory of the Father.  
We believe that thou shalt come to be our Judge.  
We therefore pray thee, help thy servants,  
    whom thou hast redeemed with thy precious blood.  
Make them to be numbered with thy Saints, in glory everlasting.

**O** LORD, save thy people, and bless thine heritage.

Govern them and lift them up for ever.

Day by day we magnify thee;

And we worship thy Name ever, world without end.

Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin.

O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us.

O Lord, let thy mercy be upon us, as our trust is in thee.

O Lord, in thee have I trusted; let me never be confounded.

**The Second lesson: Romans 5:18-21 and Luke 13:31-25**

*Clerk.* Here beginneth the 18<sup>th</sup> verse of the 5<sup>th</sup> chapter of the Epistle of Saint Paul the Apostle.

**B**RETHREN: as by the offence of one judgment came upon all men to condemnation; even so by the righteousness of one the free gift came upon all men unto justification of life. <sup>19</sup> For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by the obedience of one shall many be made righteous. <sup>20</sup> Moreover the law entered, that the offence might abound. But where sin abounded, grace did much more abound: <sup>21</sup> that as sin hath reigned unto death, even so might grace reign through righteousness unto eternal life by Jesus Christ our Lord.

Here beginneth the 31<sup>st</sup> verse of the 13<sup>th</sup> chapter of the Gospel according to St. Luke.

**A**T that time: there came certain of the Pharisees, saying unto Jesus, Get thee out, and depart hence: for Herod will kill thee. <sup>32</sup> And he said unto them, Go ye, and tell that fox, Behold, I cast out devils, and I do cures to day and to morrow, and the third day I shall be perfected. <sup>33</sup> Nevertheless I must walk to day, and to morrow, and the day following: for it cannot be that a prophet perish out of Jerusalem. <sup>34</sup> O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, which killest the prophets, and stonest them that are sent unto thee; how often would I have gathered thy children together, as a hen doth gather her brood under her wings, and ye would not! <sup>35</sup> Behold, your house is left unto you desolate: and verily I say unto you, Ye shall not see me, until the time come when ye shall say, Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.

**Benedictus. St. Luke i. 68.**

*Thanksgiving for our redemption in Christ*

**B**LESSED be the Lord God of Israel; \*  
for he hath visited and redeemed his people;

And hath raised up a mighty salvation for us, \*  
in the house of his servant David;

As he spake by the mouth of his holy Prophets, \*  
which have been since the world began;

That we should be saved from our enemies, \*  
and from the hand of all that hate us.

To perform the mercy promised to our forefathers, \*  
and to remember his holy covenant;

To perform the oath which he sware to our forefather Abraham, \*  
that he would give us;

That we being delivered out of the hand of our enemies \*  
might serve him without fear;

In holiness and righteousness before him, \*  
all the days of our life.

And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest: \*  
for thou shalt go. before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways;

To give knowledge of salvation unto his people \*  
for the remission of their sins,

Through the tender mercy of our God; \*  
whereby the day-spring from on high hath visited us;

To give light to them that sit in darkness, and in the shadow of death, \*  
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

**G**LORY be to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, \*  
world without end. Amen.

## **PRAYERS FOR GOD'S GRACE.**

### **The Apostles' Creed (said be all)**

**I** believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: Who was conceived by the  
Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary: Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was  
crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; The third day he rose  
again from the dead: He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right  
hand of God the Father Almighty: From thence he shall come to judge the  
quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost: The holy Catholic Church; The Communion  
of Saints: The Forgiveness of sins: The Resurrection of the body: And the  
Life everlasting. Amen.

*Minister.* The Lord be with you.

*Answer.* And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

*Minister.* Lord, have mercy upon us.

*Answer.* Christ, have mercy upon us.

*Minister.* Lord, have mercy upon us.

### **The Lord's Prayer (said by all)**

**O**UR Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom  
come. Thy will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our  
daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who  
trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from  
evil. Amen.

*Minister.* O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

*Answer.* And grant us thy salvation.

*Minister.* O Lord, save the State.

*Answer.* And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.  
*Minister.* Endue thy Ministers with righteousness.  
*Answer.* And make thy chosen people joyful.  
*Minister.* O Lord, save thy people.  
*Answer.* And bless thine inheritance.  
*Minister.* Give peace in our time, O Lord.  
*Answer.* For it is thou, Lord, only, that makest us dwell in safety.  
*Minister.* O God, make clean our hearts within us.  
*Answer.* And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

### **The Collect for the Fourth Sunday after Trinity**

**O** GOD, the protector of all that trust in thee, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy; Increase and multiply upon us thy mercy; that, thou being our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we finally lose not the things eternal. Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

### **A Collect for Peace.**

O God, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom; Defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries, through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

### **A Collect for Grace.**

O Lord, our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day; Defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings, being ordered by thy governance, may be righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

### **A Prayer for all in Civil Authority.**

**O** LORD our Governor, whose glory is in all the world; We commend this nation to thy merciful care, that being guided by thy Providence, we may dwell secure in thy peace. Grant to THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, and to all in Authority, wisdom and strength to know and to do thy will. Fill them with the love of truth and righteousness; and make them ever mindful of their calling to serve this people in thy fear; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

*Or this:*

**A**LMIGHTY God, whose kingdom is everlasting and power infinite; Have mercy upon this whole land; and so rule the hearts of thy servants THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, *The Governor of this State*, and all others in authority, that they, knowing whose ministers they are, may above all things seek thy honour and glory; and that we and all the People, duly considering whose authority they bear, may faithfully and obediently honour them, according to thy blessed Word and ordinance; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Ghost liveth and reigneth ever, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

### **A Prayer for the Clergy and People.**

**A**LMIGHTY and everlasting God, from whom cometh every good and perfect gift; Send down upon our Bishops, and other Clergy, and upon the Congregations committed to their charge, the healthful Spirit of thy grace; and, that they may truly please thee, pour upon them the continual dew of thy blessing. Grant this, O Lord, for the honour of our Advocate and Mediator, Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

### **A Prayer for all Conditions of Men.**

**O** GOD, the Creator and Preserver of all mankind, we humbly beseech thee for all sorts and conditions of men; that thou wouldest be pleased to make thy ways known unto them, thy saving health unto all nations. More

especially we pray for thy holy Church universal; that it may be so guided and governed by thy good Spirit, that all who profess and call themselves Christians may be led into the way of truth, and hold the faith in unity of spirit, in the bond of peace, and in righteousness of life. Finally, we commend to thy fatherly goodness all those who are any ways afflicted, or distressed, in mind, body, or estate; [*\*especially those for whom our prayers are desired;*] that it may please thee to comfort and relieve them, according to their several necessities; giving them patience under their sufferings, and a happy issue out of all their afflictions. And this we beg for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

*\* This may be said when any desire the prayers of the Congregation.*

### **For the Faithful Departed**

I bid your prayers for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed:

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord;  
*Answer.* and let light perpetual shine upon them.  
May they rest in peace. *Amen.*

### **A Prayer of St. Chrysostom & the Grace.**

Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests; Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. *Amen.* (2 Cor. xiii. 14.)

### **The Address – Mr. David Svihel, Minister with Youth.**

### **A General Thanksgiving (*may be said by all*).**

**A**Lmighty God, Father of all mercies, we, thine unworthy servants, do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all men; We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all, for thine

inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful; and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

**T**HE Lord bless us, and keep us. The Lord make his face to shine upon us, and be gracious unto us. The Lord lift up his countenance upon us, and give us peace, both now and evermore. *Amen.*

